

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT TOWN TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

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For: ASSAY FOR METHYLATION IN THE GST-Pi GENE

THIRD PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner of Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Further to the Second Preliminary Amendment filed May 10, 2001, and the Preliminary Amendment of October 16, 2000, and prior to examining the above-identified application, please amend the application as follows.

IN THE SEQUENCE LISTING:

Please delete the present second substitute Sequence Listing and insert therefor the attached third substitute Sequence Listing.

REMARKS

Applicants simultaneously file herewith a third substitute Sequence Listing (in order to correct the errors noted in the Raw Sequence Listing attached to the Notification to Comply with Requirements dated June 29, 2001) in PatentIn Version 3.0. Hence, the submission of the present third substitute Sequence Listing does not raise new issues or constitute new matter.

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The Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at his Washington telephone number on any questions which might arise.

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